TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE

FISCAL NOTE



HB 996 - SB 1219

March 9, 2011

SUMMARY OF BILL: Requires a custodian of a public record to include in the written denial of a public records request any legal authority forming the basis of the denial.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumption:

• Pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. §10-7-503(a)(2)(B)(ii), denials of open records requests are required to include the basis for the denial. Requiring denials to include any legal authority will not add significantly to the workload of record custodians and can be accomplished within existing resources.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James W. White, Executive Director

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